

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please delete the paragraph beginning at page 11, line 13, and replace it with the following:

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Those of ordinary skill in the art will appreciate that the hardware in **Figure 1** may vary depending on the implementation. For example, more or fewer data processing systems may be utilized than that depicted in **Figure 1**. Furthermore, the present invention is not limited to keyboards, but applies directly to a mouse (e.g., mouse 132) or any other peripheral device that exchanges data with a computer. The only requirement is that the peripheral device must have the capability of wireless communications with the data processing systems. Also, although described with reference to a single keyboard, there could be multiple keyboards within the computer lab. For example, a lab could contain 50 computers and five keyboards. Furthermore, more than one keyboard could be in operation at one time with, for example, one keyboard communicating with a first computer while a second keyboard is communicating simultaneously with a second computer.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims to read as follows:

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1. A wireless computer peripheral input device for use with a data processing system, the input device comprising:
a wireless transmitter for transmitting signals; and
a selector for selecting a one of a plurality of data processing systems with which to operate, wherein invoking the selector causes a signal to be transmitted from the wireless transmitter.
 2. The input device as recited in claim 1, wherein the input device is a keyboard.
 3. The input device as recited in claim 1, wherein the input device is a computer mouse.